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SUBJECT: CIVAIR: LIMITED FRENCH LANGUAGE

AUTHORIZATION FOR AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL

1. TRANSPORT MINISTER MARCHAND ANNOUNCED JUNE 11 LIMITED USE OF FRENCH LANGUAGE IN AIR/GROUND COMMUNICATIONS PERMITTED FOR VISUAL FLIGHT RULE OPERATIONS IN PARTS OF QUEBEC. PERMISSION EXTENDS ONLY TO AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL (ATC) BY AIRPORTS AT QUEBEC CITY, ST. JEAN, SEPT ILES, BAIE COMEAU AND ST. HONORE AND REQUIRES SPECIFIC REQUEST BY PILOT UTILIZE FRENCH. FURTHER STUDY OF SAFETY PROBLEMS LINED TO USING FRENCH AS WELL AS ENGLISH IN ATC OPERATIONS UNDERWAY.
2. COMMENT: MOT SOURCE HAS EMPHASIZED TO TCO LIMITED CHARACTER THIS DECISION IN VIEW RELATIVELY LIGHT TRAFFIC THIS AREA. EMPHASIZED ENGLISH CAPABILITY WILL BE MAINTAINED AS NORMAL LANGUAGE.
3. PRESS CLIPPINGS BEING SENT FAA/JETT.
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